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April 25, 2007

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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#### **RESPONSE**

Response to the Notification of Missing Requirements dated April 23, 2007 (copy attached), the applicants respectfully submit the requisite Declaration was filed April 12, 2007. A copy of the undersigned's cover sheet of April 12, 2007 and a further copy of the Declaration filed with the same is attached, along with the undersigned's postcard receipt from the filing, for the convenience of the Office.

An Assignment for recordation with appropriate fee and cover sheet were also filed April 12, 2007. Recordation and return of the recorded Assignment are requested.

Nothing further is believed to be required in response to the attached Notification. However, the Office is requested to contact the undersigned if otherwise.

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An early and favorable Action on the merits of the claimed invention is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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# NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

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- Copy of IPE Report filed on 08/11/2006
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- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 08/11/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 08/11/2006
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The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

• Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

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